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FAIRYLAND GARDENS

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Growers of "MAINE PRIZE WINNERS"

SPRING PRICE LIST OF GLADIOLUS 1941

GREETINGS

It is with pleasure that I prepare this modest list to send on to you. I only wish it were possible that I might hand it to you personally and that we might have an hour or two in which to compare notes on the new ones that we saw at the Shows or grew last season which seemed just another step ahead, which, of course, we all want as soon as price permits.

Thank you. I greatly appreciate all the business that you have given me in the past, and all the very fine letters I have received in the past. They sure encourage one to keep on and try to do just a little better.

This past season was the most successful one we have ever enjoyed. Early in the season we had it very dry but later we had plenty of rain so we have some fine bulbs to offer this season.

Your visit was enjoyed and I hope you enjoyed visiting FAIRYLAND GARDENS and that you will plan to pay us a visit this summer and see many of the new varieties and seedlings which have not yet been introduced.

Yours for more and better flowers,

MAX L. LEAVITT.

Guarantee. We guarantee to please you. Anything we send out if it is not satisfactory return it and we will gladly refund your money. It is our intention to send out only the highest quality stock which is true to name and free of disease. Anything found otherwise will be cheerfully replaced or money refunded.

We include extras with all orders. If you would send a list of a few varieties you would like to try from which to select your extras, it would help us both. Postage paid on all bulbs from this list.

Premium Bulbs Free. To anyone sending in an order of \$5.00 or more and will promrremum Build Free. To anyone sending in an order of \$5.00 of more and will promise a report when it blooms, we will send a medium bulb of a "new gray" seedling, No. GS831. This is a wonderful new pink. We have grown it six feet tall with 6-7 open in the field. No crooking in this one, good habits. A large bulb with a \$10.00 order, and if your order totals \$15.00 we will include a couple blooming size bulbs of Autumn; and if it totals \$20.00 we will put in a bulb of Rose of Sharon for good measure.

WINNERS

Yes, sir, at the Maine State Glad Show, August 23-25, Leah Ann first in its class with a large list of entries, also vote of thanks for a recent introduction. Henet also had the honor of carrying away the blue ribbon in its class. This was the only two gray varieties that was shown due to a late season.

You are a loser of much enjoyment if you are not growing the Gray varieties. We have many fine reports from them from many sections of the country. This past season we had a call from florists for all the Blooms we could cut from Leah Ann. Henet has proved to be one of our best commercials, never any left over stock on this one. Miss Ann is the florists' favorite for bridal work, also a corsage made from this is as beautiful as one made from orchids. Henet's Favorite has given us some wonderful exhibition spikes which would take some beating on the exhibition table.

The two new ones we are introducing, Autumn and Rose of Sharon, will, I believe, take their place in their color classes. Rose of Sharon is one of the very finest commercials it has been my privilege to see in a long time.

SPRING GREEN POST, NO. 253 LEGION TRIAL GARDEN REPORT ON SPRING GREEN, WIS.

Rose of Sharon planted 5/9, bloomed 8/4. 52 inches tall, 27-inch head, 20 buds, 7 open, 3 to 4 in color. 41/2 in size. Excellent texture, plain wide open petals, heavy straight spike, broad upright healthy foliage. Lavender rose which looks well individually and in mass. No fading to this. You will have to like it.

Autumn bloomed 8/16 from 5/9 planting. 65 inches tall, 20-inch head, 16 buds, 5 open, 4 in color, 4½ in size. Perfect facing and spacing. Excellence texture, stem willowy and spacing. Excellence texture, stem whooly to medium, but always straight. Foliage, broad, tall, upright and healthy. Reddish and yellow brown of autumn. In spite of my personal dislike for smokies, this appealed very strongly to me in its coloring and its performance being so exceptional makes us rate this as exceptionally good. Well worth getting a start with while still high priced.

INTRODUCING

- Rose of Sharon (Gray). Here we have a new shade of lavender rose with the throat dusted like that of a Gloxinia. This was a great favorite with garden visitors and received much favorable comment. With us it grew about 5½ feet tall, opening 6-7, 4 to 4½-inch blooms on a spike of 20-22 buds. This grows as straight as an arrow, with facing and spacing excellent. An exceptionally fine keeper as a cut flower and well liked by the florists. Makes fine clean bulbs and is a good propagator. Bound to make many friends. L., \$3.00; M., \$2.00; S., \$1.00; Blts., 25 each.
- Autumn (Gray). Here is something that is entirely different in the line of smokies. One that is very difficult to describe to do it half justice. My best description of it is reddish and yellow to brown of autumn with a small throat mark of yellow which greatly enchants the beauty of the flower. This opens up a fine spike with 5-6 open at one time. Facing and spacing excellent. The plants are fine and healthy, often reaching a height of six feet. Heavy propagator and bulblets grow like weeds. L., \$1.00; M., 75c; S., 50c; Blts., 3 for 25c.
- Alta (Young). Plant growth is fully as strong as Picardy with fine growing habits. Color is rather difficult to describe, but the general body color might be called a deep salmon pink or a light rose pink with marking of a deep maroon of a very unusual effect. With me this past season the blotch was plum colored. You cannot imagine how beautiful this flower is without seeing it. Open 5-7, 4½ to 5-inch florets with 4 in color. Excellent texture and always straight with broad, healthy foliage. Facing and spacing excellent. This created a sensation with the garden visitors and one they thought they all must have. Don't be fooled by the low price as there is a good stock on hand permitting a lower price. It is worth much more. No. 1, \$1.00; No. 2, 80c; No. 3, 60c; No. 4, 40c; No. 5, 30c; No. 6, 20c; Blts., 10 for 50c.

COMMERCIAL GROWERS—ATTENTION!

We will be pleased to quote you wholesale prices on the Gray varieties.

- Henet. Bright rose pink with a small American beauty throat blotch, opening 5-6, 5½ 7-inch blooms. (This can be grown very large.) Well faced and spaced. This is an extra fine commercial as well as exhibition variety. Broad upright and healthy foliage and fine propagator. This blooms along with Minute, which makes 100% cuttable spikes. L., 30c; 10 for \$2.50; M., 20c; 10 for \$1.50; S., 2 for 15c; 10 for 50c; Blts., 10 for 25c.
- Henet's Favorite. Exhibition smoky old rose with cherry red throat blotch. Opens up a large, well placed spike with 8-12 large waved blooms open at one time. This has fine growing habits with no crooking. A fine all around variety. L., 30c; 10 for \$2.50; M., 20c; 10 for \$1.50; S., 2 for 15c; Blts., 10 for 25c.
- Leah Ann. Beautiful sparkling purple, nearly a royal purple, 6-9 medium blooms on a spike of 20 buds. Tall strong grower. This won first in its class at the Maine State Glad Show, 1940. You'll like it. L., 15c; 10 for \$1.25; M., 10c, 10 for 80c; S., 3 for 15c; Blts., 10 for 15c.
- Miss Ann. This little lady is one of the most beautiful varieties grown, to my thinking. It does not grow over three feet tall and opens about 5 medium blooms at a time. Cream with a lavender cast, stamens are snow white, which greatly add to its original beauty. L., \$3.00; M., \$2.00; S., \$1.00; Blts., 25c each.
- Alayne. Beautiful shade of light rose, opening several large blooms with good habits. L. 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Alchemist. Large, rich yellow opening, a large spike, early. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Allan Watt. Huge buff with carmine feather, opening a very large spike. L., 15c; M., 10c; S. 2 for 15c.
- Alice Reid. A fine large light pink and one of the first to bloom, which should be in every collection. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 4 for 15c.
- Alt Wein. Fine, early, light blue, 6-8 open. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Aladdin. Bright salmon with large cream blotch, extra fine. L., 50c; M., 30c.
- Allemania. Bright scarlet, larger and earlier than Koehl, but crooks bad in hot weather. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Amethyst. Deep lavender with darker throat blotch. 8-10 well placed ruffled blooms open, very good. L., 15c; M., 10c.
- Ave Maria. Light blue with small purple blotch, 7-8 florets open at a time. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c.
- Bagdad. Huge smoky old rose, 5-6 florets open, tall grower. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Beacon. A tall salmon scarlet with cream throat opening, 8-10 large waved blooms. This should be in every garden. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 2 for 10c; 10 for 40c; S., 4 for 10c; 10 for 20c.
- Beautiful Ohio. A beautiful deep lavender rose, fine. L., 25c; M., 15c; S., 3 for 15c.
- Berthy Mair. Fine new lavender pink opening, 7-10 large blooms. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Bill Sowden. A large massive deep blood red with well placed flowers. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Bit O'Heaven. Flaming orange with yellow throat. Tall, straight spike opening up to 10 at a time, very showy. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c; S., 10 for 15c.
- Blue Danube. Fine light blue, tall grower and several open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c.

- Blue Beauty. One of the healthiest growers to be found in the blues and one of the finest medium blue glads to be found, regardless of price. Tall plant, opening 6-7 large blooms. L., 15c; 10 for \$1.25; M., 10c.
- Blue Triumphator. A light blue almost white, but with immense flowers. L., 10c.
- Brightside. Rich canary yellow flushed apricot in upper throat. Tipped orange. Very ruffled and fluted. It's beautiful. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c.
- Christabel. Very large shrimp pink with cream throat, fine. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 4 for 15c.
- Colonial Maid. Almost white shading to bright lavender at petals edges. Tall, strong, straight grower, opening a large spike, one of the best. L., 50c; M., 25c; S., 15c; Blts., 7 for 15c.
- Commander Koehl. Large clear scarlet red opens fine spike with good habits. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Colossus. Tall giant pink with deeper colored feather on a cream ground. Very large flowers, often 7 inches across with 6-7 open. Good. L., 20c; M., 15c; S., 10c.
- Conquest. This is a beautiful salmon pink with a creamy yellow throat. One of the most beautiful opening, 6-7 large blooms. L., 20c; M., 15c; S., 10c.
- Creve Coeur. Burnt orange with throat of dark orange red, which is dusted and tipped with creamy yellow. Very fine and is a prize winner. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c; S., 10 for 15c.
- Dream O' Beauty. Flowers a beautiful rose red, sometimes placement is not the best but is worth growing in spite of this fault, opens a large spike. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Dr. A. C. McKillop. A fine lavender with cream throat. Good. L., 15c.
- Dr. Durr. Creamy white with deeper cream throat. A beautiful thing and a fine grower and early. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 5%; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Dr. Hoeg. Glistening dark red edged with gray opens a nice spike. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Duna. Apricot buff with cream throat. The ladies' glad. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Early Melody. Light lavender pink, early, 6-7 open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4
- Edith Robson. Light salmon rose with reddish blotch, tall strong grower. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Emile Auburn. A large spike of coppery bronze with cherry red throat blotch. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Beautiful large salmon with reddish blotch, opens a fine spike. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c; S., 10 for 15c.
- Emmy Glo. Tall strong plant, opening a large spike of salmon apricot with yellow throat. A very beautiful variety. L., 15c; 10 for \$1.25; M., 10c; 10 for 80c; S., 3 for 15c; 10 for 40c; Blts., 50c per 100.
- El-Nathan. Salmon scarlet, opening 5-6 large ruffled blooms. This looks as if it was made of tissue paper. This is the straightest glad I ever saw, never crooking or leaning. Sometimes the florets are misplaced. L., 15c; 10 for \$1.00; M., 10c; 10 for 75c; S., 3 for 15c; 10 for 35c.
- Ivory white with cream center. Flushed pink towards edges of petals. Fine spikes with up to 10 open in perfect placement. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Flaming Mentor. A giant plant opening 5-7 large scarlet red blooms. This spots in wet weather. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.
- Gate of Heaven. A rich deep golden vellow ruffled. Many open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c; S., 10 for 15c.
- Gertrude Gray. Satin gray, making a nice spike. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Golden Poppy. Tall, rich orange yellow, early. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Golden Cup. Clear deep yellow, opens a nice spike. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Golden Chimes. Large ruffled clear yellow, tall spike and good. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- New double white tinted pink. Not a tall grower, about 31/2 feet open, Good Hope. 5-6 fully double blooms from large and medium bulbs; from small bulbs the blooms are single with me. This you either like a lot or you don't care for it at all. L., 25c; 10 for \$2.00; M., 20c; 10 for \$1.50; S., 10c; 10 for 80c; Blts., 7 for 25c; \$2.50
- Harold Logan. A very fine light blue, opens many on a tall spike. L., 15c; M., 10c.
- Hinemoa. Deep rose flaked a deep chocolate with a big cream blotch. Very showy an unusual. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Incense. Begonia red netals with sulphur yellow throat, not a large flower but fragrant at times. L., 25c; M., 25c; S., 10c.
- Irak. A silver gray sport of Bagdad. One of the best gray glads to be found and a beauty. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c; 10 for 50c; S., 3 for 10c.
- Jersey Cream. Fine new cream, several open. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.
 John Ramsay. This open one of the largest spikes to be found. Deep salmon rose, light throat. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c.
- J. S. Bach. Strong growing exhibition, early orange salmon with lighter throat, 8-12 open. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.
- King Arthur. Immense, ruffled lavender, a beauty. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c.

- Kassel. Scarlet red self, tall grower, and is a fine all round variety. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c; S., 4 for 10c.
- Kewpie. Said to be the smallest glad grown. Clear red with picot edge. L., 2 for 15c; M., 4 for 15c.
- Very early lavender, a beautiful flower. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c. Krimhilde.
- Lavina. Rich medium deep pink with lustrous texture. Strong tall spike. A fine flower and good grower. L., 25c; M., 20c; S., 10c.
- Lavender Delight. Deep lavender with white throat markings, one of the first to bloom. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Leschi. Rich deep maroon red, opening a large spike. Very fine. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Louis Henon. A small star shaped flower with three petals orange salmon and three yellow, small plant, very odd. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.
- Mac. Very large orange scarlet fine in all ways. L., 25c; M., 20c.
- Mary Ansteen. Rich begonia rose with soft orange red throat markings. Flowers good size, altho the stem is not too long. The lovely color makes it desirable and it should be in every collection. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c; S., 10 for 15c.
- Maid of Orleans. Creamy white with deeper cream throat, a very fine glad. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Mammouth White. Immense white, 5-6 open. Fine exhibition variety with very large florets. If well grown is one of the best. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Maxwelton. New giant rose pink, opens up 10-12 large beautiful blooms at a time. This is a great favorite with garden visitors. L., \$1.00; M., 60c; S., 35c; Blts., 5 for 25c.
- Coral pink, lighter throat, many open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; Margaret Fulton. M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.
- Margaret Peter. This white with a strong crimson blotch makes a fine exhibition spike and seems to be one of the best in this color. This one will beckon to you from across the field. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Matador. A rich lavender with two lower petals covered with great purplish red blotch. L., 15c; M., 10c.
- Morocco. Very dark red, nearly black, 6-8 open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c. Minute. Clear light lavender. Easily the best lavender in spite of it being an old variety, always good. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Miss Bloomington. Very early, yellow, fine. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c. Miss New Zealand. Salmon rose blotch. Without doubt this is one of the largest glads in spike and flower. Well spaced and placed. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.
- Moorish King. A large dark red, and a good grower, with 6-8 large blooms open. One of the largest dark reds. L., 10c.
- Milford. Tall light blue, a beautiful shade with no red markings. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 2 for 10c.
- Mrs. A. R. Pontius. A very fine new white with pale violet center. This has been very fine with us. This has never wilted with us in the heat of the day. L., \$1.00; M., 75c; S., 50c; Blts., 2 for 25c.
- Mrs. Charles Van Ryn. At its best this is a much improved Picardy. We have had some giant spikes of this. And it looks as if it might be a coming commercial. Salmon pink opening, 6-9 large blooms on nice straight spikes. L., 50c; M., 35c; S., 25c; Blts., 5 for 25c.
- Mrs. Lula Hunt. Very early dark pink with scarlet feather. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c. Mrs. Anna Pfitzer. Light cream with greenish yellow throat. This makes a mammouth spike. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c.
- Mrs. E. R. McManus. One of the most beautiful pink glads grown, heavily ruffled. Try it. L., 25c; M., 20c.
- Moonlight Lady. Very early pale yellow, heavily ruffled, opening up a nice spike. L., 20e; M., 15e; S., 2 for 10c.
- Mother Machree. Soft smoky lavender combined with orange and gray. This makes a very large spike, good. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Nerissa. Salmon shaded lavender with darker throat blotch. Opens up a large spike. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Orange Beauty. Fine new orange. It's a dandy. L., 35c; M., 25c; S., 15c.
- Peggy Lou. Deep pink with a rosy cast. Slight peppering of deeper rose in throat.

 Tall strong grower. A beautiful thing when well grown. L., 15c; 10 for \$1.20; M., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; S., 3 for 10c; 10 for 25c.
- Pelegrina. A large dark blue with 7-8 blooms open and about all buds showing color. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c.
- Paradise. A tall growing apricot. Many open flowers, fine. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.
- Phyllis McQuiston. Excellent pure pink with lighter throat. Strong grower. L., 2 for 12e; 10 for 50c.
- Beautiful soft shrimp pink, immense size and many open. One of the best Picardy. varieties. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.

Prairie Gold. Very deep yellow, tips and reverse of petals lightly brushed with orange. Strong grower. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.

Queen Mary. Tall spike of creamy white flushed pink. Many open. L., 15c.

Polar Ice. A tall early pure white with many large blooms open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.

Rameses. Very tall spike. Immense flowers of deep maroon. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.

Red Diablo. Tall growing light red. This was very good with us. Open a large spike of large florets of good texture. L., \$3.00; M., \$2.00; S., \$1.00; Blts., 25c.

Red Lory. Medium red with rose shadings, opens up to 12 large blooms. A fine variety and should be in every garden. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.

Rewi Fallu. Deep blood red. Seven or more enormous florets open at a time on a tall spike. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; S., 3 for 10c; 10 for 25c.

Rose Marie Pfitzer. Tall large flowered cream and pink blending, many open, a lovely thing. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.

Roi Albert. Coppery salmon with conspicuous throat blotch. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.

Salbachs Orchid. Very beautiful lavender pink. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.

Shirley Temple. Immense heavily ruffled light cream with cream yellow throat. Six open florets on a very tall spike. A winner. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c; S., 10 for 15c.

Straight spike. Many open. Very fine variety Smiling Maestro. Rich orange salmon. of mammoth size. L., 2 for 12c; 4 for 15c.

Schubert. Creamy yellow with vivid scarlet blotch, several open. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c.

Silver Rose. Beautiful shade of rose overlaid with a silver sheen, 5-6 open, not too tall grower. Fine cut flower and very popular. L., 25c; 10 for \$2.00; M., 20c; 10 for \$1.60; S., 10c; 10 for 80c.

A tall light pink. Opening 5-6 large flowers, good. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c. Sonatine.

Southern Cross. Deep red self. Opening a spike of 7-8 flowers that does not burn in worst weather. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c; 10 for 30c.

Success. Very tall vigorous plant, open 7-8, very large snow white blooms. This is one of the finest new glads I have grown. L., \$1.00; M. 75c.

Superwhite. Pure crystal white. This is supposed to be an improved Mammoth White. It has been very good with me. L., 10c; 10 for 80c; M., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; S., 7 for 15c.

Sweethcart. Waxy pure pink blending to a large snow white throat, early. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c.

St. Nicholas. Deep mauve lilac with a white center and white lines in the petals. Opening 8-12 large blooms. This is one of my favorites. L., 25c; M., 20c; S., 15c.

Tunia's Blue. This is the best blue that I have ever grown or seen. Very large individual blooms of a medium blue, darker at edges and again darker in throat. Healthy plant. L., 50c; M., 25c; S., 15c.

Gray and slate with red blotch, 6-8 open. L., 10c; M., 2 for 15c.

Vagabond Prince. A tall mahogany brown, with a distinctive flame blotch, very fine. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; M., 4 for 15c.

Wasaga. A most beautiful buff, heavily ruffled, several open. L., 2 for 12c; 10 for 50c. Zauberflote. Peach rose with a vivid red blotch. This is a very showy variety. Opens up a nice spike. L., 2 for 15c; 10 for 60c; M., 3 for 15c; S., 5 for 15c.

We have been able to make better quotations in some instances than we expected earlier in the season. Therefore if you have given us an order and you find you paid too much for some items you can rest assured that you will get your money's worth in extra bulbs. We do not want to penalize anyone for favoring us with early orders. If you wish any change in your order kindly mail it in at any early date.

JOIN THE MAINE GLADIOLUS SOCIETY

The Society needs you and you need the Society. The dues are only \$1.00 per year, payable October 1st. \$2.15 if you wish to be affiliated with the New England Glad Society in which case you receive the yearbook from each. Plan now to attend The State of Maine Glad Show, which I believe will be held at the Winslow High School, August 27-28, 1941.

Send all dues to Mrs. George J. Walenta, Secretary, South China, Maine.

ONE OF THE MANY LETTERS RECEIVED EACH YEAR

Troy, Maine, March 3, 1940

Mr. Leavitt,
Dear Sir: I am the oldest man to be interested in Gladiolus, age eighty three and one half years. I have about 1500 in all to plant this spring also a quart of seed pods. I hope to visit Fairyland Gardens again this year. Hope some time you can drive over and see what I have. I am sending \$5.00 order for Gladiolus, on next page find names of a few of my selection the rest of the \$5.00 worth I am trusting to your selection as I have always got my money's worth at Fairyland Gardens.

Very truly yours Amos L. Bennett Sec. 562 P. L. & R.

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